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Hit-or-Miss

METHODS never quite reach the desired goal.

It is like shooting all around the edge of the target without ever scoring a bull's-eye. Or, like assembling the parts of a car and leaving out the engine.

If you are successful in reaching your desired financial goal it surely will not be by the hit-or-miss method. Begin today a systematic plan of saving. Come in and talk this matter over with us. We can help you to get started on the right track.

Citizens State Bank
HAYS, KANSAS

Roy Lench has sold his barber shop to George Wasinger.

Call and select your new fall hat at Miss Deane's Store.

The smartest new fall hats now being shown at Miss Deane's store.

Roy Van Marter of Wichita, who is on his way to Gove county, stopped over Monday night, with his uncle, G. M. Cox.

F. J. Hoke of the Hoke Monument Works, went to St. Louis, Monday night, to attend a meeting of the Monument Dealers.

Miss Elsie Marintosh has returned from her marketing trip. Her lady patrons will soon be wearing new hats we presume.

"Why I Put Up With Rats for Years," writes N. Windsor, Farmer.

"Years ago I bought some rat poison, which nearly killed our fine watch dog. It so scared us that we suffered a long time with rats until my neighbor told me about RAT-SNAP. That's the sure rat killer and a safe one." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by KING BROTHERS and H. H. WINTERS.

Mr. Fred Arnold, Dr. Herman, P. V. Gottschalk and Register of Deeds Wasinger left Tuesday morning, on an auto trip to western Colorado to inspect an oil shale field with an idea of investing.

A new threshing machine for sale at a bargain. Coal oil tractor, twenty-eight inch separator with self feeder, weigher and wind stacker. Bought machine for our own use. Have done our threshing and will sell at a bargain. Also, new four bottom power life Oliver plow.

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The Macintosh Hat Shop is now ready to serve the ladies of Hays. No formal opening will be held.

A reduction of 20 per cent on all Men's Work Shoes, at Bissing Bros. Shoe Store.

Miss Alice Craig returned home, Sunday, after a week's visit with her friend, Miss Mildred Meserve, near Ellis.

Miss Ethel Shuttles has accepted a High School position in a town near Pueblo. She will leave in about two weeks going on the Missouri Pacific from LaCrosse.

A reduction of 25 per cent on all Ladies' White Shoes at Bissing Bros. Shoe Store.

Miles Mulroy of Hays, was a Colby visitor Monday, in the interest of the coming campaign and according to information from the Elite "kissing the ladies and loving the babies."—Colby Free Press.

Joe Wiesner has returned from his eastern trip to the marts of trade, where he has been purchasing a large stock of fall and winter merchandise for the Wiesner & Son's department store.

An officer should use a little judgment when arresting an offender. He should know that a man is willfully guilty before he makes an arrest. The "worm might turn" and smite him on the "bean" or have him prosecuted for false arrest.

N. P. Gassman and family drove to the Ozark Mountains, last Friday, for a few weeks' vacation. Mr. Gassman is suffering from a nervous breakdown and he was advised to take a rest and a change of climate immediately. All parties having shoes in the shop will kindly call for them at the Bissing Bros. shoe store. While absent Mr. Gassman will also visit the most progressive factories to get better and newer improvements for his line of work, so as to be better able to give his customers the best possible service upon his return the first part of September.

Miss Macintosh has returned from her eastern buying trip with a beautiful line of fall millinery.

Dairy supplies, milk, cream, ice, ice cream, butter or buttermilk. Golden Belt Creamery & Ice Co., Phone 484.

The American Protective Tariff League has just issued its campaign button which reads as follows: "Harding and Coolidge, SMILE, 1920" and on the back are the words "Protection Prosperity." The "SMILE" is in red ink across the button and as large as space will allow. Two buttons sent to any address by letter mail for six cents. Address W. F. Wakeman, Sec., 339 Broadway, New York.

New fall hats and millinery now on display at Miss Deane's Millinery Store.

Bemis & Stein have taken the agency for the Haynes automobile for Ellis county.

Miss Virginia Oldham of Wakeney, visited this week, with her brothers, Lawrence and Herman Oldham.

Wm. Cox was down from Collyer, Tuesday.

The Brunswick is having a new roof put on the hotel, and Lou Bell is giving the house a new coat of paint, preparatory for the fall trade.

Call and select your new fall hat at Miss Deane's Store.

Mrs. Marshall will hold her annual birthday Fried Chicken supper, Thursday, August 26th, at 6 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. M. Wilson. Everybody invited.

Styles were never more beautiful and generally becoming. Your hat is awaiting your approval and selection at the Macintosh Hat Shop.

Wolf Binder has sold his residence property on east Junata street just east of the Oldham garage, to Chas. Hawks who with his family will take immediate possession. Mr. Binder will move his family into the dwelling on east South Main street belonging to his wife, temporarily.

Mrs. Alois Bissing has sold one of her residence properties—the one she is now occupying, to a man by the name of Taylor, from Wakeney, who will take possession about September 1st.

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Do You Know? There are no substitutes for dairy products. We sell milk, butter milk, butter and cream. Golden Belt Creamery & Ice Co.

An officer may think he is doing his duty when he arrests every man who enters the city, strangers as well as citizens of the town or county, who "fracture" the law. Strangers should be warned and not arrested. An instance of this nature was told to the reporter recently that happened some time ago. An old gentleman, a stranger, was arrested on the Junata and Chestnut Street crossing, taken before the Police Judge and fined \$9.75. He pleaded that he was nearly broke and away from home, and also that he was not familiar with the laws of the city, but that did not excuse him in the eyes of the police court. Pay the bill or go to jail was the edict. He paid with tears in his eyes. It is safe to say that that man will not travel over the Golden Belt the next time he has occasion to pass through Kansas. If he should, he will give Hays a wide berth; and there are others.

R. J. Tague, the Collyer banker, was in Hays, Tuesday.

Adolph Dreiling has purchased the Mr. Maschka residence in north Hays.

W. J. Bryan will speak at the Russell Chautauqua, August 25th. Those who have not heard the great commoner, should embrace this opportunity.

Hats for fall at the Macintosh Hat Shop, in every new and favored material. Attractive, jaunty, snappy styles—also quiet and sensible styles—a wide variety.

Mrs. C. W. Reeder, Jr., returned Monday night from a visit with relatives at Grinnell, Iowa.

Gay Tillotson has purchased the building of Isaac Zeigler in which he has been conducting his barber business for several years past.

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If you are interested in furniture for light housekeeping, see M. Landon at 414 Sheridan Ave. To be disposed of by Saturday, August 21.

Felix Bissing is back from an outing trip in Colorado. He is considerably tanned as a result of embracing the mountain air, and the boys around town say that his nose has taken a vermilion hue that was not perceptible when he left Hays, a few weeks ago. However, we know there is nothing in Colorado that goes with lemons and sugar.

The gentlemen's sanctuary across the street from the Free Press is a nuisance and should be abated. Let the city health officer investigate and see for himself.

C. M. Holmquist has been nominated by the democratic party as candidate for associate justice of the Supreme Court but there are no "special interests" breaking their necks in his behalf.

Residents in the neighborhood of the fair grounds have been annoyed lately by crap shooters congregating at the fair grounds every day and indulging in their favorite game. There are some twenty or thirty who congregate there. The "shooters" are mostly flouters. Men who have no visible means of support and are continually lying around town, should be invited to move on. Hays is too busy a hive of industry to support a lot of drones. Besides "drones" are undesirable citizens.

Miller Brothers have made the following deals during the past week: Roy Lench's barber shop to the Wasinger boys; the Chas. King barber shop to John Henderson; John Henderson's residence to Alphonse Staab; the residence property west of George Grass's to John Henderson; Mrs. Alois Bissing's rooming house to I. J. Taylor of Wakeney; the Chas. Hackenberger property to Miss Bibbens; the Cook property to Lawrence Maschka; the Nickerson Bros.' 160 north of Hays to Ed Blender; Mr. Lou Groff has also invested (through Miller Bros.) in a 160 acres of land in Western Kansas. A half section to Anton Schriebovel south of Collyer; the Sherry property in west Hays to George Grass, Jr.

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John Henderson, the north side barber, last week sold his residence property to Alphonse Staab and purchased the residence property belonging to Ferdinand Staab, just west of George Grass's residence in north Hays. He also purchased the Chas. King barber shop under the Citizens State Bank, and took possession at once. Chas. King has accepted a position with Oldham Bros. as automobile salesman.

Agents of a land company situated at Garden City, passed through Hays this week, with a number of land seekers from Nebraska. The Garden City people make semi-monthly trips from Nebraska to Kansas.

C. W. Reeder, Jr., has just returned from New York where he has purchased an up-to-date line of fall and winter goods for the C. W. Reeder & Son's clothing store. We bespeak for this young men's popular fashionable clothes emporium the continuance of the excellent business it has always enjoyed. When you come to Hays to purchase your supply of clothing, call at Reeder & Son's, they have a comprehensive stock to choose from—one of the best in Ellis county.

Sam Okeson and son, Rex, passed through here this week, en route from Gove county where he owns a farm, to his home at Fairview, Kansas.

F. M. Ellis is back from Illinois.

W. A. Lewis and wife have returned from Colorado.

Mrs. C. W. Miller, Jr., has returned from Colorado.

F. I. Merrill, who lives south of Ellis, has just returned from a visit to Canada.

Mr. George Stulken and family, and Mr. Ed Stulken and family, both of Bazine, Kansas, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Ed Kraus of this city.

Monday of this week, Judge Purcell sentenced Melvin Mays and Harvey Fletcher to ten years in the state penitentiary, for highway robbery.

Mrs. C. L. Wright left Tuesday morning, for Hannibal, Missouri, to visit her parents.

C. W. Reeder transacted business in Salina, Tuesday.

The state tax commission has raised the taxes on Ellis county real estate fifteen per cent higher than last year. The assessed value of Ellis county is \$25,451,020.

W. L. Aaron, a former county attorney of Ellis county, but now living in Joplin, Missouri, was in Hays Friday, and remained over Sunday.

Miss Madeline Briggs was here from Collyer, Monday.

We notice that officers of surrounding counties are warning auto owners that the state law pertaining to the purchase of tags should be obeyed 15 days after July 1st or they will be subject to a fine. We notice cars on the streets of Hays every day that have not complied with the law, and one gentleman informed us, this week, that some auto owners are using tags that are four years old.

COUNTY FARM BUREAU NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gladhart are back from Yellowstone Park.

Two poultry culling meetings have been held at the farms of George Riedel and John R. Chittenden. The attendance and interest was good. Keep posted as to the time the meeting will be held in your community and attend if possible.

The following meetings are scheduled for this next week. P. M. Dreiling at Emmeran, on August 23; and W. A. Logan of Hays, on Friday. Both of these meetings begin at 2:30 p. m. Two more meetings will probably be held but at present we are unable to give these places. The meetings for the week following will be given in the next issue.

The Farm labor has been scarce this week. We have been able to place but three men. We hope that we will have more in the next few days.

With the prices of wheat going down steadily with apparently no excuse, a number of our farmers have decided to cut down the wheat acreage and raise more cattle. In talking to Martin Orth regarding dairy, he made this statement: "I have made more money off of my cows up to the present than I have off of my crops." Bird C. Moore makes a similar statement regarding the cows; he states, "My cows have been a good investment for me." We hope, next week, to have more statements from our farmers. Ask any of the men who have milk cows and who care for them and they will tell you that they have made money from them. It gives the farmer a steady source of income. Ask the banker if the dairyman borrows as much money as the average farmer and he will tell you no.

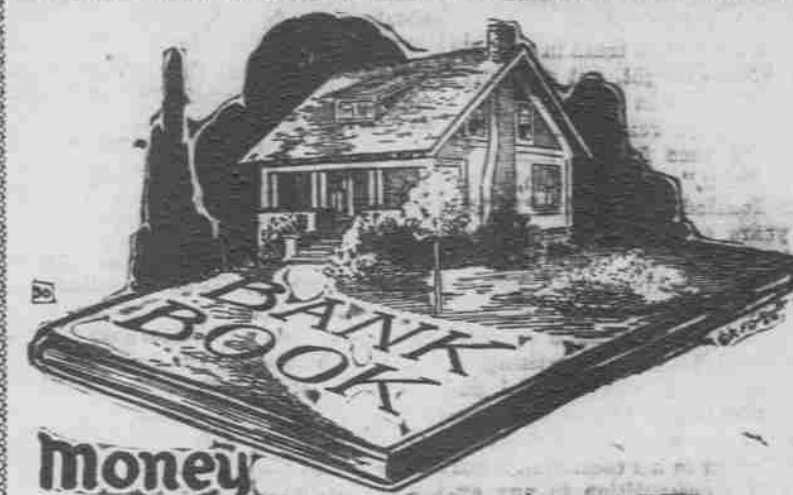
DR. M. JAY BROWN
Dr. M. Jay Brown of Salina, Kansas, Specialist in the Medical and Surgical Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and in the proper fitting of glasses, will spend the day at the Brunswick Hotel on Wednesday, September 1, where he will be pleased to meet his old friends, and to make new ones.

Notice
The Republican Central Committee of Ellis County will meet at the City Hall in Hays, Saturday, August 21, to organize, elect officers and transact such other business that may come before them. All republicans are requested to be present.

Russell Reformer
Mrs. W. H. Levick and daughter, Eleanor, returned to their home at Hays, Sunday evening, after spending the day with the former's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Himes.

Mrs. Ben F. Strecker returned Saturday, from a visit with friends at Hays. She was accompanied by Mrs. John Miller, Misses Ida Esther Truan and Helen Babb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Carson and little daughters, Madge and Melba, and Mrs. W. H. Levick and daughter, Eleanor, of Hays, returned Saturday night, from a motor trip to Independence, Kansas, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robbins. Their son, Ray, accompanied the Carsons here for a visit.



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Bricks or stones placed one at a time upon each other make a foundation for a house.

Deposits steadily placed one upon another make a foundation for a fortune.

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Lost
A post-card size Eastman kodak, along the road running east and west four miles south of Walker, last Sunday. The finder will please return to Charles Wahl, McCracken, Kansas, and receive reward. a12t2

"Rat-Snap Beats the Best Trap Ever Made," Mrs. Emily Shaw Says.
"My husband bought \$2 trap. I bought a 65c box of RAT-SNAP. The trap only caught 3 rats but RAT-SNAP killed 12 in a week. I'm never without RAT-SNAP. Reckon I couldn't raise chicks without it." RAT-SNAP comes in cakes. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by KING BROTHERS and H. H. WINTERS.

Stop the radiator leak. See the Oldham garage.
Two large building lots and six small lots for sale. For information call at the Free Press office.
Buy your canning tomatoes, green beans, beets, cucumbers, etc., at the Fort Hays Normal gardens. Prices will suit you. a12t3

For Sale
A Harley-Davidson motorcycle in good condition. Price \$125. Phone 609. a12t2

For Sale—Reeves Threshing Machine, 36 separator, 20 h. p. cross compound engine in good shape. Sell cheap. C. H. Reed, Kiowa, Kansas. a12t3

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August 25-26-27, 1920

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Applies to money equally as much as to men. Money in your pocket or hid away is idle money. Money in the Bank is working.

The strength of the Bank is an index to the financial condition of the Community. It is very important that our Banks should have the support of the people.

Be sure your money works for "Hays" and not against Hays. Deposit your money in the old Reliable, First National Bank, and it will work for Hays.

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